

Docket No. 002910.0001

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re **PATENT** application of:

Applicant: Loewenthal, Howard, *et al.*

Application No.: 10/590,336

For: LEAK RESISTANT SIPHONING DEVICE FOR USE IN FLUID  
TRANSFER

Filing Date: May 12, 2008

Examiner: Simms Jr., John Elliott

Art Unit: 3711

**REPLY TO NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION DATED AUGUST 23, 2011**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

Favorable reconsideration of the above-identified application is respectfully requested in view of the following amendment and remarks.